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Hi, PIG-PALS!  
THIS PORKY  
PORTRAIT OF  
ME IN A NUDE,  
RUDE AND  
HAPPY MOOD  
WAS DRAWN  
BY READ-DE  
CRAIG ELS OF  
LIVERPOOL,  
AND I REALLY  
AM HAPPY,  
'CAUSE OINK  
IS 2 YEARS  
OLD TWO WEEKS  
STICK 2 CANDLES  
IN YOUR BOWL  
OF SWILL AND  
CELEBRATE WITH  
ME! -Unde Pigg

## PUTRID PERSONALITY



"MARY FRIGHTHOUSE"  
by Philip Corbett,  
Kenilworth.

THE PAGE  
FOR PIG-  
PALS THAT  
PULLS NO  
PUNCHES!

## CLEAVER CORNER!

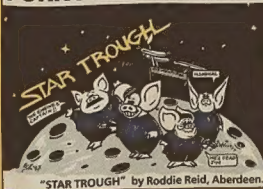
Pig-pal Karen Hicks  
(who didn't give her  
full address), claims she  
saw Jimmy "The  
Clever" Smith in  
Tesco's singing this  
rhyme:  
PIGS ARE DUMB,  
PIGS MIGHT BE SWEET,  
BUT PIGS ARE INNOCENT,  
BUT PIGS ARE MEAT!  
Ooer! Mind your rinds,  
pals! This dangerous  
butcher is still on the  
loose!

-Unde Pigg.



AND I'LL BE BACK  
A GAIN SOON! HEHEHE!

## PORKY PROGRAMME!



"STAR TROUGH" by Roddie Reid, Aberdeen.

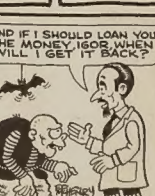
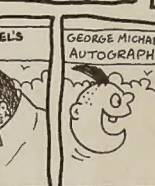
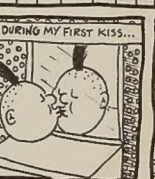
Can you solve  
this piggy puzzle  
by Roy Butlin  
of Sussex?

"OINK! IS  
COPIGOL!"  
[lip-fut coo!]  
Answer: OINK! is piggy!

## CRACKLIN' COACH COMPANY



Neil and Leanne Baxter  
of Glasgow found this  
advert in a football  
programme! Guess the  
drivers must be  
road-hogs, eh?  
-Unde Pigg.



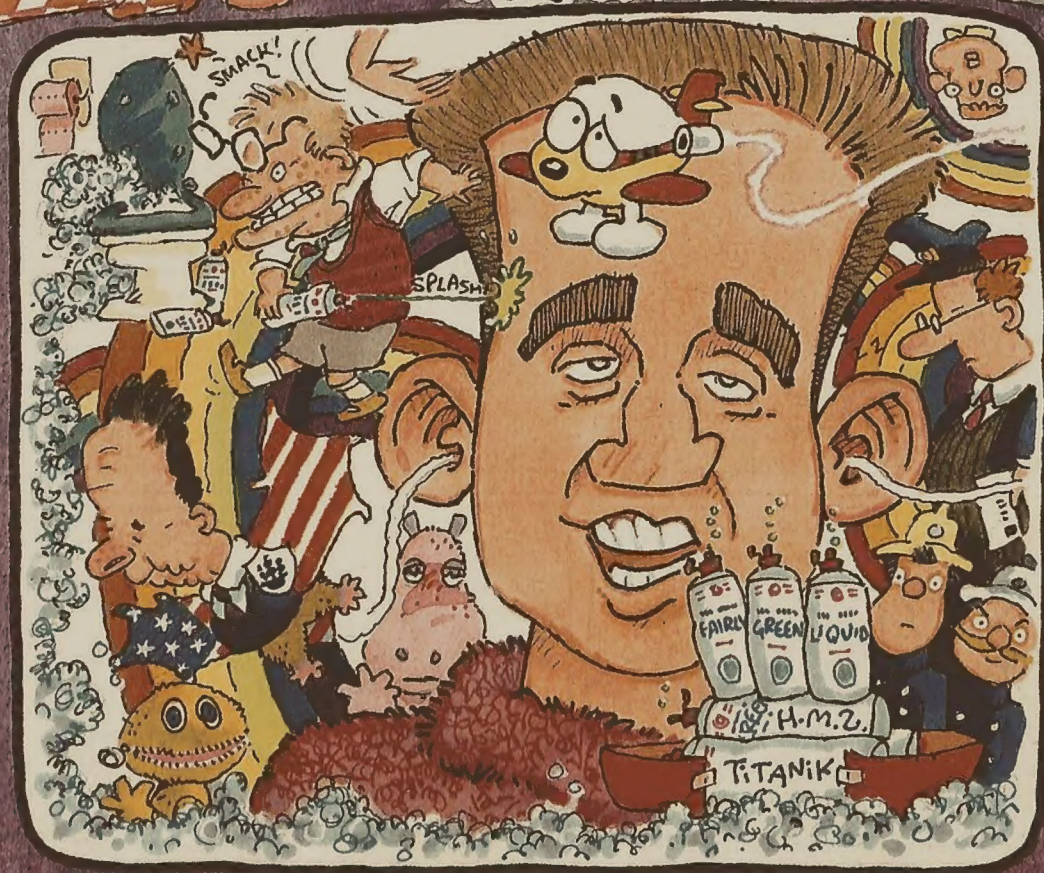
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# VIDIOTS

Adrian Interleekshual  
or Nile's guide to  
TELEVISION  
TELEVISION



## 4: Childrun's Tellyvision.

Childrun's programmes are often presentid bi grinning lunies in hideous jumpars hoo tell yoo obveeus things ["Mistar Reagan is boss of Amerika, kiddies"], but knot interesting things ["He thinks he's a froot-bat"]. They orlways tell yoo how to mayke models of the Titanic etc. from emptie washing-up likwid bottels. The models nevar luk lyke they're suposed to. They orlways luk lyke a lode of old washing-up bottels stuk toogethar. Besydes, I orlways get into trubble off Mum for poring orl her washing-up likwid down the toylet. In the aftarnunes, Childrun's TV has puppit programmes abowt jollie postmen, firemen etc. If it's a verrie ecksiting eppisode, the postman delivars a lettar, but usuerlie nothing happens. This is just lyke reel lyfe for a lot of peepul, which is why "Postman Pap" and pals are so poppyoolar with the unemployd.



# VAN HELLSONG

MY TASK WAS THIS- RESCUE RAOUL MCWATNEY FROM THE PIERY CLUTCHES OF HADES. IT WASN'T GOING TO BE EASY- HE WAS PLAYING LIVE TO THIRTY THOUSAND DEMONS AND I DIDN'T LIKE THE LOOK OF THE HELL'S ANGELS HANDLING THE CONCERT SECURITY.



I COULD MAKE HIM SEE WHATEVER I DESIRED.



GO ON IN, PHIL. GO ON IN.



I'M THE FAB POP CORRESPONDENT FOR THE AMERITON ENQUIRER. HERE'S MY BACKSTAGE PASS.



A BABY, MY CAR. I DRIVE MY NECKS.



RAOUL, I'VE COME TO TAKE YOU BACK TO THE LAND OF THE LIVING AND THE ROYAL FAMILY.



WE SKIPPED DOWN FOUR-SHELLING, DARK, SLIPPERY PASSAGEWAYS...



MOVE, RAOUL, THERE'S LIGHT AT THE END OF THE TUNNEL.



AND WHAT EXACTLY MIGHT YOU BE DOING, VAN HELLSONG?

NUMBER FIVE IN A MINI-SERIES OF SIX 4 TO BE CONTINUED...

# A KNIGHT TO REMEMBER



AH, SO THAT'S WHAT YOU CALL DEFENDING MY HONOUR, IS IT? WELL, IT'S TRUE WHAT THEY SAY ABOUT YOU, THEN...

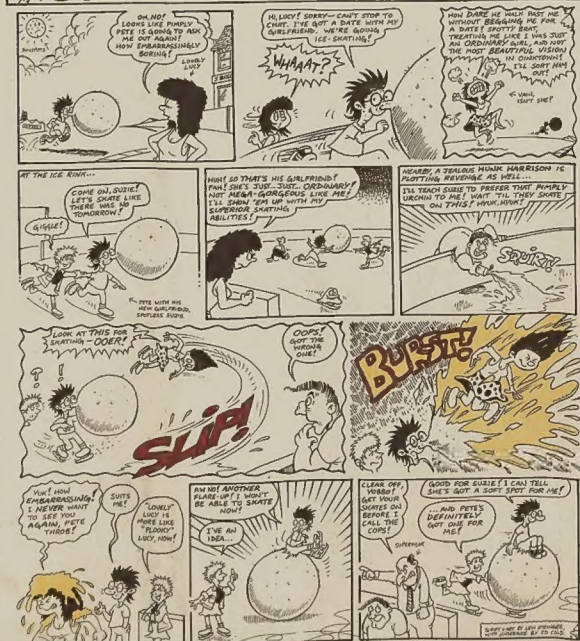


YOU'RE A COWARD, SIR LANCELOT!



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# PETE and his PIMPLE!



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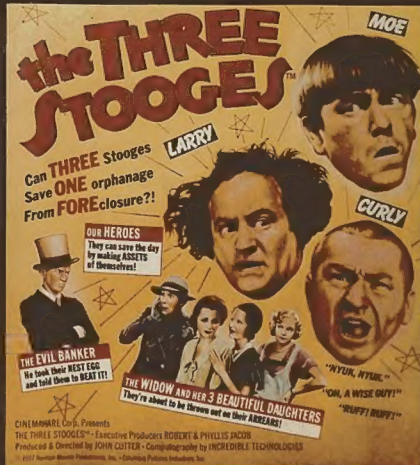
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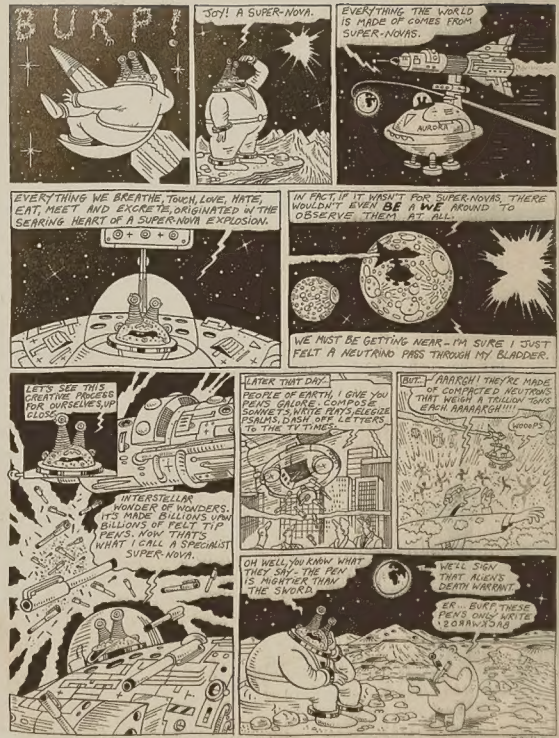
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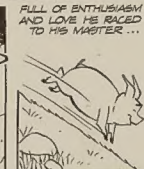




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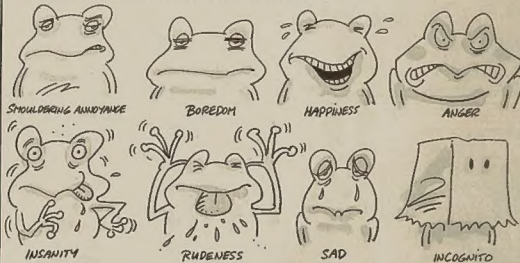


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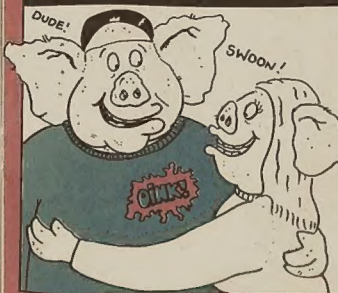


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SWING THOSE ARMS... STRETCH! STRETCH! OOO... SO GOOD.

WHUMPF! TURN THAT OTHER RECORD ONE BE SWING FER YOU!

OOO... SORRY DAD!

COR! WANT ME TO TRY WEIGHTLIFTIN' NOW, DAD?

NO, TOM, THESE ARE FOR ME TO LOSE WEIGHT...

"I WOULD!"

"THIS BOBBY PUNK'S A LITTLE TALLER - IT DOESN'T EVEN FLOAT!"

WH-O-O! LOOKS LIKE YOUR BOAT IS LOSING HIS TOPPER!

TO LOSE A DEAD WEIGHT LIKE YOU WHEN I BRING YOU WIN THEM!

NOW TWELFTH A MINUTE, DAD! DON'T WASTE A FIT!

GUESS WHO'S HOTTEST? ME! I'M A BOMB! I'M A BOMB!

**TRANSMORPHING**  
**TRACEY**  
SHE CAN TURN  
INTO ANYTHING  
SHE LIKES!

OUT...

OH NO! I FORGOT! THEY ALWAYS SMASH UP THEIR STUFF AT THE END OF EACH CONCERT!

SMASH!

WAIT A MINUTE! I CAN ALWAYS USE MY FANTASTIC POWERS OF TRANSMODIFICATION TO GET IN!

THE NEXT WEEK

NO-ONE ABOUT? GOOD!

BACK DOOR



All proceeds from the sale of this record go to Amnesia International (if we can remember where their office is!)

MADVERTISEMENTS

## U-WHO?

NEW ALBUM! THE UNFORGETTABLE  
...ERM... UM...



Featuring the hit single "I Still Can't Remember What I Was Looking For"



Note: This LP came out last year, but we forgot to tell anyone. Sorry

REALLY SENSIBLE QUIZ:

## ARE YOU A COMPLETE IDIOT?



- A. What is your IQ?
1. Very high.
  2. Average.
  3. What is my what? How do you spell it?

- B. How many times in the past week have you stayed in bed because you couldn't figure out how to get up?
1. None.
  2. Not many.
  3. Sorry, I don't speak Latin.

- C. What is the capital of France?
1. Paris.
  2. A large, important city in France.
  3. F.

- D. At school, are you -
1. Very good?
  2. Not bad?
  3. What's this got to do with ferrets?

### CHECK YOUR IDIOCY HERE:

Mostly 1's and 2's: You think you're pretty smart, but you must be an idiot to do a quiz like this.  
Mostly 3's: No you're not a complete idiot - your brain's missing!  
Mostly 4's: My friend, you are in a class of your own!

frank\*sidebottom and his fantastic showbiz gossip

to join my fantastic fan club send a large a.e. to me at: P.O. box 11, attercliffe, wals 6u.

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hello, oink readers.....you can now phone up my new phone line at weekends and hear me sing fantastic songs, plus club news.

061-969-1909

## stars are out for timperley visit...



## oink competition winner gets to see top stars play live in timperley

i phoned paul mccartney, david bowie and michael jackson, to ask them to come and meet sue sherples.....but they were out.

sue had a fantastic day which took in timperley aquatics, timperley post office.....fresh nest farm...and, of course.....timperley station.



when we got to mg house.....sue was treated to some live concert videos of such top star names as frank sidebottom, 'little frank' and my greengrocer 'emerson lake.



me meeting oink competition winner sue sherples in the car park at the back of the methodist church.

sue and her sister carole.....are shown how to climb up a lamppost.....by me.

eye's dog was only slightly spelt when she found out that i had got the train times wrong and missed her last train home.....so they had to wait.

# HORACE (ugly face) WATKINS

HORACE HAD LOST HIS MEMORY AFTER BEING KNOCKED OVER WHILST RUNNING FROM THE TWO MYSTERIOUS STRANGERS.

HE'S LOST HIS MEMORY COMPLETELY, MRS. WATKINS! LISTEN, ER... HOW OLD ARE YOU, HORACE?

I DON'T KNOW AND I DON'T KNOW WHO HORACE IS! WHO AM I? PLEASE HELP ME!

WE'RE TRYING, SON! THERE'S SOMEONE HERE TO SEE YOU! SEE IF YOU RECOGNISE HIM!

O.K. BY THE WAY... WHO ARE YOU?

UNITED'S MANAGER CAME IN...

NO, NEVER SEEN HIM BEFORE!

OH, DEAR! STILL BAD IS HE? WHOEVER WHO THOSE TWO STRANGE MEN WERE!

AS HE SPOKE, THE TWO MEN IN QUESTION SAT OUTSIDE...

WHEN IT WAS DARK, THEY CROUCHED IN TO THE HOSPITAL...

CLOAKROOM

DISGUISED AS DOCTORS, THEY WENT TO HORACE'S ROOM...

DON'T STRUGGLE! JUST A LITTLE INJECTION TO HELP YOU SLEEP!

THEY WHEELED HORACE PAST UNSUSPECTING NURSES...

AND ONCE OUTSIDE, BUNDLED THE UNCONSCIOUS HORACE INTO THE BOOT OF THEIR CAR...

AND FROM THERE TO AN AIRSTRIP, WHERE THEY TOOK OFF IN A SMALL PRIVATE PLANE...

AT UNITED, THEIR MANAGER TOOK A PHONE CALL... HORACE KIDNAPPED! IT'LL BE STRAIGHT AWAY THERE!

BUT IN ITALY, HORACE STILL UNWELL, WAS SIGNING A CONTRACT...

ZIS IS A GREAT DAY, WELL DONE, MEN. I INTEND HIM TO PLAY IN TOMORROW'S GAME. SIGN THIS CONTRACT, FOLLOW!

AT THE HOSPITAL...

THIS IS THE ONLY CLUE. A BUSINESS CARD WITH THE KIDNAPERS' NAMES, ADDRESSES AND PHONE NUMBERS.

OF COURSE! THE GRIMALDI BROTHERS, UNSCRUPULOUS FOOTBALL AGENTS WHO STOP AT NOTHING TO GET THEIR MAN!

BACK IN ITALY...

MEET YOUR NEW STRIKER! ZIS IS WATKINS! ZIE GREATEST BRITISH PLAYER SINCE GEORGE BEST! WE'LL WIN EVERYTHING WITH HIM IN OUR TEAM!

IN THE STADIUM, HORACE WAS TOLD TO KICK OFF...

WHERE AM I?

TO EVERYONE'S SURPRISE, HORACE PICKED UP THE BALL, RUGBY STYLE, AND HEADED THE HIS OWN GOAL...

DIVING FULL LENGTH, HE TOUCHED DOWN IN HIS OWN GOALMOUTH! THE REF GAVE A GOAL!

GREAT TRY, EH, LADS?

A FURIOUS CHAIRMAN AND CAPTAIN LED THE DREAD HORACE OFF TO THE BOOS OF THE CROWD! AND A FURIOUS UNITED MANAGER WHINED ON THE TOUCHLINE...

YOU STOLE MY PLAYER! I WANT HIM BACK! HE'S NOT WELL, TOO LATE! HE'S YOU KNOW! HE SIGNED ZIE CONTRACT!

HA, HA! HE SIGNED THIS, DID HE? WELL, HE'S CERTAINLY NOT CALLED MARGARET THATCHER, WHICH IS THE NAME HE'S SIGNED HERE! COME ON, HORACE, YOU'RE COMING HOME!

ZIS CANNOT BE!!

SAVED BY THE BELL! BUT WILL HORACE EVER RETRIEVE HIS MEMORY...? FIND OUT NEXT WEEK!